

WEATHER FORECAST
Partly cloudy Friday, not so warm; Saturday cooler.

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PASTOR RESIGNS

Rev. N. F. Jones of the First Baptist Church at Dayton, Ky., notifies Official Board—May Come to This City.

Rev. N. F. Jones, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Dayton, Ky., tendered his resignation from the pastorate of that church at a meeting held Wednesday. The resignation goes into effect the last Sunday in September.

Rev. Jones has received a call from the First Baptist Church of this city and by his resignation it is supposed that he will accept the pastorate of this church. He will preach here Sunday morning, but will be unable to stay for the evening service. It is said that he is favorably impressed by the Maysville field, the opportunities being very great here.

Rev. Jones has been urged to devote his entire time to evangelistic work, with Rev. David W. Hughes, of Newport, Ky., as soloist and chorus director. This team would be a strong one as they have conducted several revivals together. They conducted a most successful revival in the First Baptist Church of this city two years ago and all were impressed greatly by these two men.

The final outcome of the matter will not be known for some time probably but all are hoping that Rev. Jones will accept the call to the Maysville Church.

In our Mid-Summer Shoe Sale we have marked many lots at less than cost.

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TRAIN LATE

C. & O. train No. 5 scheduled to arrive here at 6:15 a. m. was five hours and forty-five minutes late yesterday morning. The delay was caused by the large floods in West Virginia in the past few days.

The members of the Holy Name Society will meet next Sunday morning at 6:45 o'clock on Limestone street.

JAMES M. COLLINS, Pres.

Alice Nielsen

The Noted Soprano Will Return to Maysville About the First of September to Fill Her Engagement—Exact Date to Be Announced Later.

Secretary Thomas P. Boone of the Maysville Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of a letter from the managers of the Redpath Chautauqua Bureau, informing him of the fact that Miss Alice Nielsen, who was unable to sing on the last night of the Chautauqua, would return to this city about the first week in September, the exact date of which to be announced later.

It will be remembered that upon Miss Nielsen's arrival here she was suffering a severe case of laryngitis and was absolutely unable to sing. She came before the audience and explained that she was entirely willing to sing but also utterly disabled. Her accompanying artists gave a splendid concert but the audience was almost entirely cold to them. Miss Nielsen lost about four days' concerts by her sickness and these dates will be filled also during the same week. From here she will go to Ashland, Ky., and from there to Bluefield, W. Va.

All ticket holders will be admitted on the night of Miss Nielsen's return. Those holding reserved seats will again be in a favored position. It is not known at present where the concert will be held.

The Redpath people certainly come up to their word. Upon hearing that Miss Nielsen was sick on the night of the concert, Mr. McEwan, the superintendent, began to make immediate preparations for her return engagement.



ABERDEEN BOY

Son of Mrs. Ida K. Spears Weds Miss Clara D. Lindsay of Portsmouth, Ohio—Pretty Nuptials.

The home of Mrs. T. E. Lindsey, 414 Court street, was the scene of a quiet but pretty wedding, this afternoon, at half after 1 o'clock when her attractive daughter, Clara D. Lindsay and Mr. Charles R. Spears, employed at the Portsmouth Engine Company, were married in the presence of the immediate relatives. Rev. J. W. Dillon officiated with the impressive Methodist Episcopalian ring service. The rooms were beautifully decorated in pink and white roses, ferns and smilax. The bride was attired in a pretty gown of white net built over white taffeta with a beautiful corsage bouquet of bride roses. After the ceremony delicious pink and white ice cream and cake was served at a beautifully adorned table. An exquisite French basket of pink roses and maiden hair ferns adorned the center. The happy couple left on the afternoon train for a three weeks visit to Cleveland, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and other places of interest, after which they will return to Portsmouth to make their home with the bride's mother.

She wore a handsome suit of sand color trimmed in blue with hat and shoes to match. The bride is an attractive and popular young woman and for the past two years has been teaching in the third grade at the Fourth street school. The groom is a fine young man who has spent the past three years in Portsmouth and is the son of Mrs. Ida Spears of Aberdeen, Ohio.—Portsmouth Times.

COUNTY COURT

The following business was transacted in the Mason County Court yesterday:

On motion of Lulu M. Sallee it was ordered that James H. Sallee be appointed executor with will annexed of Angie K. Mitchell, deceased, and he qualified as such with Lulu M. Sallee as surety on bond.

Ordered that W. H. Rees, R. B. Adair and E. T. Kirk be and they are appointed to appraise the personal estate of Angie K. Mitchell, deceased.

DEVAUGHN-WALTERS

Mr. Frank Walters, 21, and Miss Emma Devaughn, 22, both of this city were married by Rev. Ruggles of Germantown yesterday.

SWEET FLAVORED TEA

That San-Toy the official blend for tea 20c $\frac{1}{4}$ lb.

Maysville Tea, Coffee and Spice Co.

Auxiliary of the Hospital will meet this evening at 4 o'clock at Health League rooms on Court street.

ROOSEVELT TO MAKE FIRST HUGHES SPEECH IN MAINE

New York, August 10—Col. Roosevelt will make his first campaign speech in behalf of the candidacy of Justice Hughes in Lewiston, Me., on August 31. This was announced today after a conference between John McGrath, Colonel Roosevelt's secretary, and Frank J. Ham, Republican State Chairman of Maine.

LOWER SUTTON FINISHED

Lower Sutton street was entirely finished about 10 o'clock this morning. The bricks were all laid by last night and there remained only a small portion of tar. Work has been begun on upper Sutton but they are somewhat handicapped by the lack of sand as the bed for the bricks.

SQUIRE DRESEL'S COURT

In Squire Fred Dresel's Court yesterday the following cases were tried and disposed of:

Kate Lewis, drunk and disorderly, \$9.75.

Pearl Hughes, drunk and disorderly, \$9.75.

First day's sale of the new book, "When a Man's a Man," at J. T. Kackley & Co., was good. Our word for it—it is good—we have read it.

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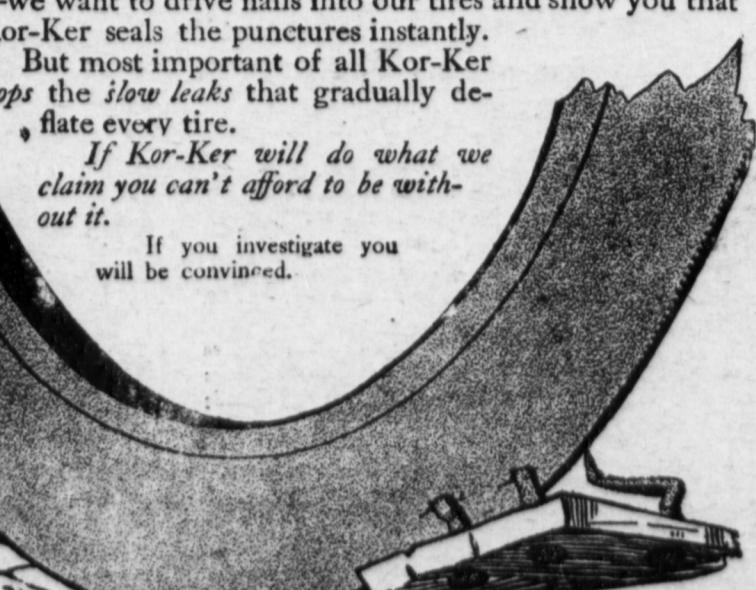
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Make a few dollars in a novel way. You save money on every purchase made in this store from the Shoe Department to the Millinery Department.

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TRADE MARK

Mrs. John Fansler entertained a number of her friends at her home on Forest avenue last evening in honor of her niece, Miss Virginia Wood of Newport, Ky. Delicious refreshments were served. Cards and games were the order of the evening.

We do not want to carry over into next season a pair of low shoes in our store, so if you need shoes or ever expect to need them again, it will pay you to take advantage of our Mid-Summer Shoe Sale.

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Opposite State National Bank.

Mr. John Marsh returned to his home in Lexington, Ky., yesterday after a week's visit with his mother, Mrs. Mary D. Marsh of Forest avenue.

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THE AMERICAN DEAD

"Carrizal has given up a part of its American dead." If from the depths of ocean and from graves beyond our borders our murdered dead should be returned to us there is hardly a city or town in the land that would not hold a funeral service. During the past three years the number of Americans who have fallen victims to the weakness and vacillation of the present Administration runs into the thousands.

The making of war that is not war and keeping of peace that is not peace is a method of procedure that demands its toll of human lives.

When the advocates of Mr. Wilson's re-election assert that he has "kept us out of war" let them consider the price that we have paid for the maintenance of a pseudo peace.

President Wilson at the obsequies held in honor of the American marines killed at Vera Cruz delivered a most eloquent address. That was long time ago, and still our dead from Mexico are being returned to us.—New York Sun.

From the mountain top, not from the bottom of the valley. This is the view-point of political problems which Mr. Hughes says Republicans should take. It is an opposite figure. Hughes is himself a mountain-climber and his nomination has taken his party up to the point whence the promised land can be clearly seen.

The fact that 10 years ago the farmers wanted high taxes put on pleasure carriages, does not prove that they would stand for assessing automobiles and gasoline now.

YES DOCTOR, I THINK NERVOUSNESS RUNS
IN OUR FAMILY—FATHER'S DEATH
RESULTED WHEN HE BECAME SUCH
A HIGH STRUNG MAN!



BUT THIS IS HOW HE DID IT



LAST LUSITANIA NOTE UP AGAIN

Formal Document Will Be Published
By Permission of Berlin—Accept-
ance Likely—Communication
Deals Only With the Prin-
ciples Involved.

Washington, August 9—The United States has asked for and received permission from Germany to publish a formal document the last note in the Lusitania case, which was submitted by Court Von Bernstorff nearly six months ago. The State Department's intention to publish the communication is believed to indicate its acceptance.

Acting Secretary Polk declined to discuss the plan of the United States in regard to the Lusitania case or to disclose when the document would be given out.

Indemnity Not Discussed

The communication, dated February 16 last, details only with the principles involved. It does not mention the amount of indemnity Germany is to pay, or how or when the amount will be agreed upon. It simply "recognizes liability," promises to make reparation by the payment of indemnity, gives assurances for the future and declares that reprisals, such as ruthless submarine operations, must not be directed at other than enemy subjects.

Until now there has been absolutely no discussion between Count Von Bernstorff and the State Department or between Ambassador Gerard and the Berlin Foreign Office in regard to the question of indemnity. The German government is represented as feeling that, having signified its willingness to make reparation, the United States must make the next move toward securing it.

The communication, when submitted by Count Von Bernstorff, was regarded as being tentative and the United States refrained from accepting it because of the declaration by the Central Powers of their intention to treat as warships armed merchant ships of the entente allies. During the discussion of this declaration and the negotiations over the attack upon the channel steamer Sussex and other vessels carrying American citizens, the communication which stands as Germany's formal reply to the last American Lusitania note has lain in the State Department unacted on.

It has been indicated by officials of the department recently that it apparently is evident that Germany was living up to her promises in the Lusitania note the wording of which occupied much of the time of Secretary Lansing and Count Von Bernstorff over a period of many weeks and that it should be published. The Berlin Foreign Office offered no objection.

WORTH \$70 A POUND

New York, August 9—A circular issued here today by a dye-importing firm, quoting prices on dyestuffs brought to this country by the German submarine Deutschland, shows that some grades of the product are valued at \$70 a pound. These are the rarer colors not yet manufactured in the United States.

TO FIX PRICE OF COAL

Paris, August 9—A decree providing for a maximum price of coal is published in the official journal. The price will be fixed by the Government after August 10.

No, Maude, people who pay their money at the gate are not given gate receipts.

WAR SUPPLIES BURNED

Amsterdam, August 9—The Telegraaf publishes a dispatch from the frontier saying great supplies of war material have been burned in German magazines at Aersobot, Belgium.

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MY HEALTH

To Lydia E. Pinkham's Veg-
etable Compound.

Washington Park, Ill.—"I am the

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nervous spells and the blues. My chil-
dren's loud talking and romping would

make me so nervous I could just tear

everything to pieces and I would aches all

over and feel so sick that I would not

want anyone to talk to me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Veg-
etable Compound and Liver Pills re-
stored me to health and I want to thank

you for the good they have done me. I

have had quite a bit of trouble and

worry but it does not affect my youth-
ful looks. My friends say 'Why do you

look so young and well?' I owe it all

to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies."

—Mrs. ROBT. STOPIEL, Moore Avenue,
Washington Park, Illinois.

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from female troubles, nervousness,
backache or the blues could see the let-
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E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you have any symptom about which
you would like to know write to the
Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn,
Mass., for helpful advice given free of
charge.

PUBLIC SALE OF MASON COUNTY FARM

As Executor of Phoebe Marshall, de-
ceased, I will, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1916,
at 2 p. m., on the premises sell at
public auction, the farm owned by her
on which she resided at her death, con-
taining about 176 acres, lying just north
of the town of Washington, and within
200 yards of Maysville and Lexington
Turnpike road, which runs through
said town, and within half a mile of
the new Washington High School
building. Said farm is located in the
best part of Mason County, and is in a
fine state of cultivation. It is well
watered, has on it a one and one-half
story brick dwelling house, contain-
ing six rooms and kitchen, one tenant
house, stable, carriage house, silo, and
two large tobacco barns, one of
which is also a stock barn. It ad-
joins lands of George Longnecker,
Larkin Brothers, A. L. Glascock, Clar-
ence Tucker, Mrs. Mattie McCann and
Mrs. Pearl Marshall. Full possession
of the farm will be given to the pur-
chaser on March 1, 1917, but posses-
sion of the dwelling house, with privi-
lege of seeding during the coming
fall, will be given at once on comple-
tion of the sale.

The farm will be sold on a credit of
six and twelve months, the purchaser
to execute notes with good personal
security, bearing six per cent. inter-
est from the day of sale, each for one-
half the purchase money, with privi-
lege, however, of paying the whole
purchase price in cash at any time be-
fore same falls due, with interest up
to the date of payment.

This sale is made pursuant to the
directions contained in the will of
Phoebe Marshall, deceased.

E. L. WORTHINGTON,
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ceased.

H. C. HAWKINS, Auctioneer.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE WILL SUPPORT ITS ARBITERS

New York, August 9—National League club owners, who gathered here today at a special conference which lasted for more than four hours, went on record as strongly supporting the league's umpires. Stringent action was taken in defense of the arbiters and the support of rules governing the department of players while on the field.

At the conclusion of the session President John K. Tener said that the

case of Johnny Evers and Manager Stalling of the Boston National League club was "an incident that is closed."

"In the furtherance of sportsmanship, coaching by players from the bench must and will be restricted," said President Tener. "The players are not to be allowed to address remarks to or about umpires, opposing players or spectators."

Women with natural curls are apt to have a few kinks in their dispositions.

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BEQUEST GIVEN MORGAN

LARGEST EVER RECEIVED, WITH ONE EXCEPTION—INHERITANCE OF VANDERBILT WAS THE BIGGEST ON RECORD—IN LATER YEARS ELDER BANKER GAVE AWAY MUCH MONEY.

New York, August 8—As the principal heir of the estate of J. Pierpont Morgan his successor as head of the house, J. P. Morgan, receives the largest bequest made to any one now living and with a single exception, possibly, the largest bequest made at any time. J. P. Morgan by the terms of the will receives \$53,000,000.

When Commodore Vanderbilt died his son, William H. Vanderbilt, received the greater part of the Vanderbilt estate, approximately \$90,000,000. This, after the death of William H. Vanderbilt, was divided equally between his sons, Cornelius and William K. Vanderbilt. Therefore the Vanderbilts of the third generation did not receive by bequest as much by about \$8,000,000 as Mr. Morgan receives from the estate of his father.

House Prestige Sought

There may have been larger individual bequests than this, although not any representing accumulations by bankers. The presumption in the financial district is that it was partly the wish to enable his heir to be thoroughly fortified so that he could maintain the prestige and strength of the Morgan house which persuaded the father to leave the bulk of his estate to the son.

There are many features of the detailed inventory of the Morgan estate, which since the day of publication have been much discussed in financial and business circles. Attention has been called to the fact that the aggregate value of the estate was a little in excess of \$78,000,000, while \$69,500,000 was the portion of the estate upon which New York state will receive an inheritance tax.

Rule Governed Morgan

So many of the men who have accumulated large fortunes since the Civil War days left estates which are appraised from \$70,000,000 to \$80,000,000, or a little more, that it seems as though an undiscovered but influential rule controlled the accumulations of Mr. Morgan. Russell Eage's estate was appraised at about \$75,000,000. Jay Gould's estate was in the neighborhood of \$75,000,000.

The difference between Mr. Morgan and others who accumulated fortunes of this size was that in the later years of his life he seemed to be particularly concerned about accumulation. His son, J. P. Morgan, may know how much his father gave away. Whatever the amount was, it was sufficient, presumably, had he kept the money to have considerably increased his estate.

Bank Stock Holdings Light

Leading private and international banker as he was, and great as was his influence with banks, Mr. Morgan appears not to have been as heavy an investor in bank common stock as was commonly supposed to be the case. The investments he did make were remarkably successful, as, for instance he owned 2,300 shares of the Bankers' Trust Company stock, which at his death were worth \$1,081,000. He was also an investor in the Central Trust Company, although, under the management of the late Frederick O'leary, it was sometimes thought that this trust institution and the house of J. P. Morgan were occasionally in antagonism. He was the owner of stock in the largest of the Chicago banks, in one Philadelphia bank and in three national banks, one of them being in Philadelphia and two in New York, as well as in the largest of the trust institutions.

There were many curious items in the appraisal report. What was Mr. Morgan doing, it has been asked, when he invested a million and a quarter in the preferred stock of the Manchester (England) ship canal company, now worth much less? The presumption is that this represented some friendly accommodations or aid. Notwithstanding his relation to railroads, he seems not to have been a very large stockholder, excepting in the case of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, whose stock now is very much less in market value than at the time Mr. Morgan accumulated it.

Interest in Niagara Venture

One item in the appraisal tells a story of Mr. Morgan's interest in the development of the great electric plant at Niagara Falls. There was general knowledge that it was due to his assistance in financing the proposition when it was first brought to his attention by Francis Lynde Stetson that the corporation was put upon its feet. Mr. Morgan was always gratified to know that his undertaking had been of great service in developing American industries. Such, for instance, as

the carbundum plant at Niagara Falls.

While the nominal value of worthless stock, colloquially known as "cats and dogs," was about \$8,000,000, nevertheless Mr. Morgan was not alone among the makers of great fortunes in accumulating large amount of worthless securities. Some of these investments represented kindly assistance to friends, and may have been made by Mr. Morgan with the certainty that they were really to be gifts. E. H. Harriman had so large an amount of securities of no value that he said, to a friend shortly before his death, that these made it possible for him to get a fairly accurate statement of his real estate. John Rockefeller is presumed to have accumulated a good many worthless securities. It is no imputation upon the ability of a great banker or business man that there should be found in his estate many securities of little or no value.

One item in the appraisal clears up a mystery that has been of great interest to students of American literature. Mr. Morgan at some time bought the manuscripts of the journal and diaries of Henry D. Thoreau, 39 volumes in all. These were appraised at \$12,500. What had become of these journals and the manuscripts had for years been a mystery. The understanding was that they were turned over by Thoreau's sister to Rev. Mr. Blake, of Worcester, for use in compiling four volumes, entitled, "Spring" "Summer," "Autumn" and "Winter."

Whether these harries passed from Mr. Blake to some one else or after his death were in the possession of his family has never been known nor is it now known from whom Mr. Morgan bought them. The price alone tells a renewed story of the fortune that was in Thoreau's writing. His own returns from them were very small, and he was obliged to take back his first book and work hard for a year or two to pay for its publication. Since his death various publications of his works represent an outlay of considerably in excess of a hundred thousand dollars, and the manuscripts of his journals were deemed so valuable as to justify Mr. Morgan in paying presumably \$12,500 for them.

14,903 DEATHS IN STATE TO JULY 1

A total of 14,903 deaths in Kentucky during the first half of the year 1916 has been reported to the Bureau of Vital Statistics. This does not include, however a number of delayed certificates, which will increase that number materially.

Deaths from pneumonia, bronchopneumonia and influenza were comparatively high because of the wide prevalence of those diseases during the spring months. Deaths from typhoid fever and summer complaints, however, have been comparatively low.

A special inspector of the bureau is now making a canvass looking up possible violations of the law to prevent any county from sending in an incomplete record.

Preliminary vital statistics report for six months of 1916 follows:

Under one years, 231; one to five years, 960; sixty-five years and over, 4,398; tuberculosis of lungs, 2,070; other tuberculosis, 255; pneumonia, bronchopneumonia, 1,678; whooping cough, 111; diphtheria, croup, 125; scarlet fever, 10; meningitis (non-tubercular), 222; measles, 65; typhoid fever, 194; diarrhoea, enteritis (under two years), 313; diarrhoea, enteritis (over two years), 154; hookworm disease, 3; influenza (lagriple), 855; purpura septemica, 92; smallpox, 1; cancer, 526; violence, 697; pellagra, 41. Total deaths 4,903; total births, 28,606; total stillbirths, 1,314.

BLOOD OF CAMELS USED TO QUENCH THIRST OF SUFFERING TURKS DURING RETREAT ACROSS DESERT

London, August 9—The Turkish army, which was routed by the British at Romani, east of the Suez Canal, suffered terrible hardships in the march across the desert, according to a Reuter's Cairo dispatch quoting stories of Turkish prisoners. The dispatch says that batches of prisoners continue to arrive in Cairo.

Lack of water was one of the principal causes of the suffering of the Turkish troops. In some cases they suffered so from thirst that they killed their camels and drank the blood.

The prisoners say the Turkish losses were exceedingly heavy, as they attacked in mass formation in ignorance of the strong defenses of the British. The devastating machine gun fire with which the assault was met was the first indication the privates had of the task that confronted them.

According to one of the troopers a Turkish detachment which surrendered had first killed their German officers.

Most men have a pet grievance that they always exhibit after the third drink.

HAVE YOU A BAD BACK?

If You Have the Statement of this Maysville Resident Will Interest You.

Does your back ache, night and day; hinder work; destroy your rest? Does it stab you through and through? When you stoop or lift or bend? Then your kidneys may be weak. Often backache is the clue. Just to give you further proof, The kidney action may be wrong. If attention is not paid

More distress will soon appear.

Headaches, dizzy spells and nerves, Uric acid and its ills

Make the burden worse and worse.

Liniments and plasters can't

Reach the inward cause at all;

Help the kidneys—use the pills

Maysville folks have tried and proved.

What they say you can believe.

Read this Maysville man's account.

See him, ask him, if you doubt.

L. Stevens, West End, Maysville, says: "My kidneys were out of order and I had backaches. The pains extended through my kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills had been used in the family, so I gave them a trial. They made me feel better in every way."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Stevens had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

NEW SHIP PLANS ARE ANNOUNCED

Washington, August 9—Secretary Daniels announced today that plans for the ships to be built under the pending naval bill were so far advanced that contracts for all but the battle cruisers and the ammunition ships can be advertised within a week after the measure has been signed by the President. A tentative sketch of the ammunition ships was completed today and plans for the battle cruisers are progressing favorably enough to make it certain that they can be advertised before October 1.

The Secretary's announcement outlined the characteristics of the four new battleships Congress is expected to authorize. They will carry main batteries of eight sixteen-inch guns each; as against the twelve fourteen-inch guns of ships of the California and Tennessee classes. Otherwise they will duplicate the Tennessee class, with a displacement of 32,000 tons. Vessels of 36,000 tons carrying ten sixteen-inch rifles have been considered but many naval experts oppose the larger type unless there was a corresponding increase in speed.

The new ship will be required to make twenty-one knots an hour, as is the case with the Tennessee class.

BUILDING 440 VESSELS

London, August 9—Lloyd's Shipping Register shows that there were 440 merchant vessels of a tonnage of 1,500,000 gross, under construction in the United Kingdom at the end of June.

AMERICAN IS HONORED

Paris, August 9—Douglas MacMonagle, of San Francisco, a graduate of the University of California and now member of the American Ambulance Field Service, has been decorated with the war cross for bravery.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surface. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

YES, CAMPMEETING IS OVER!

The crowd has returned home and all are happy to get back after having enjoyed a week or two of rest and recreation.

We are told that the confectionery on the grounds did the biggest ice cream business ever known in its history—and there's a reason for this remarkable record.

TRAXEL'S ICE CREAM is known far and wide for its excellence and purity. When the folks on the grounds learned that TRAXEL'S CREAM was being sold the rush began and continued throughout the 10 days' meeting.

TRAXEL'S ICE CREAM needs no recommendation—it speaks for itself.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES

L & N Louisville & Nashville RAILROAD.

No. 11 departs 5:35 a. m., daily except Sunday.

No. 9 departs 1:00 p. m., daily except Sunday.

No. 19 departs 3:40 p. m. daily.

No. 10 arrives 9:50 a. m., daily except Sunday.

No. 13 arrives 2:05 p. m. daily.

No. 14 arrives 8:30 p. m., daily except Sunday.

No. 16 arrives 7:30 a. m., daily except Sunday.

No. 17 departs 7:50 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Sunday Only

No. 11 departs at 6 a. m.

No. 18 arrives at 11:25 p. m.

Schedule effective Sunday, May 28, subject to change without notice.

H. S. ELLIS, Agent.

Chesapeake & Ohio Ry.

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EAST BOUND

No. 8,

Clean Merchandise of Worth

Is the output of Maysville Foremost Clothiers, that's why "everything is holy, and the goose hangs high," and the Palm Beach Suits are selling "like hot cakes" even though they are cool in the hottest sort of weather. Come around some time and see the new Straw Hats, 1/2 price now.

Straw Hats Half Price Now

Geo. H. Frank & Co.

Maysville's Foremost Clothiers

HERE AND THERE

If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mr. L. M. Cavendish was a business visitor in Cincinnati yesterday.

Miss Lutie Bramel of Helena was a shopper in this city yesterday.

Rev. William Jones of Ludlow, Ky., was a visitor in this city yesterday.

Mrs. H. J. Dewitt of Erie, Pa., is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Klipp.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hall of Forest avenue spent the day yesterday in Cincinnati.

Miss Dorothy Short has returned home after a month's visit in Cincinnati and Covington.

Miss Nettie See returned to her home in Cincinnati yesterday after a visit with relatives in this city.

Mrs. Alice C. Behan left this morning for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Thompson of Carr's, Lewis county.

Mr. John Muse has returned to his home on East Third street after a two weeks' sojourn at West Baden, Ind.

Master William Cord of Mt. Sterling is visiting his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Harrison of Commerce street.

Mrs. Mollie E. Grimes and daughter, Miss Ida, left yesterday for Covington, Ky., where they will reside permanently.

Miss Genevieve Redmond of West Second street left yesterday on a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Portsmouth, Ohio.

Miss Lena Snedegar of Minerva passed through this city yesterday en route to Cherry Grove Campgrounds in Fleming county to spend several days.

Miss Lottie May Olinger returned to her home in Cincinnati yesterday after a month's visit with relatives in this city and attending Ruggles Campmeeting.

Mrs. Lottie Sprengberg, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Orr, and sons, Lynn and Richard, left today for a visit to her sister, Mrs. Adam Bauer at Arnhem, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Egnew and daughters, Misses Lucille and Marjorie, and Miss Julia Muse have returned to their homes on East Third street after a two weeks' vacation spent at Bowman Springs, Ky.

BREMEN OFF VIRGINIA CAPES, BELIEVED, WILL COME IN TODAY

Norfolk, Va., August 10—Reports that the German submarine Bremen, sister ship to the Deutschland, is off the cape and will pass into Hampton Roads within the next twenty-four hours were current here tonight and were believed in German circles in close touch with the Eastern Forwarding Company, agents for the submarine line.

One rumor that gained wide circulation and credence was that the Bremen would come in early tomorrow morning. The weather is cloudy and threatening and offers an excellent opportunity, it was pointed out, for the submarine to avoid the allies' cruisers standing off the cape.

MRS. MARY FOGEL DEAD

Mrs. Mary Fogel died at her home near Washington Wednesday night. She is survived by her husband. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the late home. Burial will be made in the Washington Protestant Cemetery. Services at the grave.

Correspondence

Wedona

Miss Edna Bell is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Hughes.

Father John Collins of Jamaca, is here visiting the family of Mr. Pat Collins.

Mrs. William Walton of St. Louis, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Walton.

Mrs. Sue Kilpatrick of Maysville has been spending a few days with Mrs. James Crain.

Miss Martha Cord returned to Maysville Wednesday after a week's visit with Miss Hughes.

Mrs. Foo returned to her home at Maysville after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Pickett Bramel.

Mr. Charlie Montgomery of Falmouth and Mr. W. P. Goodman have been the guests of Mr. C. A. Goodman this week.

Tolesboro

A. B. Grigsby and Auel Young and families have moved to Maysville.

Miss Alma Putman of Fort Thomas, Ky., is a pleasant guest of friends here.

Mrs. Duke Pollitt of Urbana, Ill., is at the home of her father, Mr. Henry Luman.

A number of our citizens are contemplating a visit to the Vanceburg Fair this week.

Mrs. Rev. Williams of Richmond, Ky., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Pollitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Grigsby of Portsmouth, Ohio, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shelton, here.

Mrs. Harry and the Misses Prather of Champaign, Ill., are being entertained at the home of Mrs. Henry Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. North Peters, nee Alma Irvine, of Marion, Ind., are visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Irvine, here.

W. Visscher Burdick and family of Fort Thomas, have been the welcome guests of his father, Dr. W. T. Burdick the past few days.

Motorists are using our new pike too much as a speedway, and endangering pedestrians. It is time a halt is called or a few arrests made.

Mr. Robert Pollitt, genial Bob, of Covington, Ky., who knows everybody and everybody knows him, was shaking hands with his many friends here the first of the week.

George Sallee and family of South Ripley motored to this place on Saturday last, and attended Ruggles Campmeeting on Sunday. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Burdick.

Dr. J. D. Jordan, family and sister of Portsmouth, Ohio, motored thru here on Monday last, en route home, stopped to shake hands and have a brief chat with friends of other days.

W. H. Bryant has gone into partnership with Jake Trumbo in the bus line between here and Maysville. We hope that we may have more dependable service in the future than we have been having recently. They have purchased a new one ton truck to run in connection with their Ford.

A number from here attended the funeral of Rev. Miles Wallingford on Sunday last. The Ledger in its obituary notice of Mr. Wallingford failed to state that he was a resident of this place for twenty or more years. Instead of moving from Cynthiana to Maysville he moved to Tolesboro.

Misses Hazel and Beulah Baugh of Modesto, Ill., natives of this town, started on their return trip home on Monday last, after a pleasant visit with friends here. They were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Burdick. They are charming young ladies and we would wish that they would come often.

The Greenwood will down this afternoon for Cincinnati.

A big river is expected due to the heavy rains in West Virginia during the past few days. The river may go to a twenty-five foot stage. Very little drift is running at present.

COOLER WEATHER

According to the government forecast cooler weather will hit this part of the Ohio Valley within twenty-four hours. This will be welcome news to a great many who have been suffering with the excessive heat of the past month. The forecast says a cold wave but that does not mean snow.

Why not try a Ledger Want Ad?

DEMOCRATS SUCCOMB TO REPUBLICAN CURVES

Washington, August 10—The annual House baseball game went Republican today by a score of 18 to 13. It was the first Democratic defeat in four years.

The Republicans boasted after the game that their well-balanced team was responsible for the victory, but the Democrats laid it at the door of a county chautauqua. They said the star Democratic pitcher, Representative Yates Webb, of North Carolina, who for years had held the Republicans at his mercy, fell over a bench while reaching out to shake hands with an admirer after a speech in Virginia yesterday and badly sprained his left arm. This alibi aroused derision among the Republicans, who pointed out that Webb is a right-hander, but the Democrats replied that it was a left arm injury that retired Mathewson from the game, though he, too, is a right-hander, and with that they rested their case.

The Democrats used fourteen players. Nichols, of South Carolina; Rouse, of Kentucky, and Harrison, of Mississippi, starred for them.

Speaker Clarke and Republican Leader Mann were honorary umpires, but they never left the grandstand.

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